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30 October 1961

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter to me of 17 October. Although there have been quite a few phone calls in the last two weeks, I though I would not wait any longer to answer three of the points in this letter.

In regard to your drawing 11-261-759-C, we are unable to approve it at this time because of the dimensional changes which have occured after winding. We are at work here determining what dimensional change is tolerable, and will return a drawing to you with appropriate modifications as soon as we have done the calculations.

The first indication we had that W and Z tensions were being used was in your letter of 17 October. Unfortunately, we had used several rolls without knowing that we should look for differences, and so we are unable to comment yet on this point. However, we can report that we have not observed any telescoping of either the W or Z tensions, so they are apparently different than the previous X and Y tensions.

Our requirement for material is a little bit up in the air because of the uncertainty as to how many of the rolls on hand can be used. We will have to keep in touch by phone or message on this point.

Best regards

Milt

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cc: CFH